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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR
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BY A POSITION MEASURING
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Examiner: Douglas N. Washburn

Art Unit: 2863

Attorney Docket No: 56/350

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Attached is/are:

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☐ Small Entity.
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed February 6, 2006. This Amendment is necessary and was not earlier presented, because it responds to new arguments made in the Office Action. It is not believed that the present Amendment will require a new search or present new issues. Accordingly, Applicants request that the present Amendment be considered and entered. Please amend claims 1, 16, 18, 19, 21 and 22 as follows: